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Ilonggo, Hiligaynon, Hiligainon	
Naam ke bole ke dhang	ˌhɪlɪˈgeɪnən
Spoken in	Philippines USA
Region	Western Visayas, Mindanao and Hawaii
Total speakers	11 million total (first language: 7 million, second language: 4 million (est.)) 4th most spoken native language in the Philippines[1]
Language family	Austronesian Malayo-Polynesian Philippine Central Philippine Visayan Central Visayan Peripheral Visayan Hiligaynon
Writing system	Latin (Filipino variant) Baybayin (c. 13th–19th centuries)
Official status	
Official language in	Regional language in the Philippines
Regulated by	Commission on the Filipino Language
Language codes	
ISO 639-2	hil

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- Ethnologue report for Hiligaynon (http://www.ethnologue.com/show_language.asp?code=hil)
- Omniglot on Hiligaynon Writing (http://www.omniglot.com/writing/hiligaynon.htm)
- Ilonggo Community & Discussion Board (http://www.dinagyang.com/forum/index.php)

Dictionaries

- Hiligaynon to English Dictionary (http://kalibo.tukcedo.nl/dictionary-HE.pdf)
- English to Hiligaynon Dictionary (http://kalibo.tukcedo.nl/dictionary-EH.pdf)
- Bansa.org Hiligaynon Dictionary (http://www.bansa.org/dictionaries/hil/)
- Kaufmann's 1934 Hiligaynon dictionary on-line (http://www.bohol.ph/kved.php)
- Diccionario de la lengua Bisaya Hiligueina y Haraya de la Isla de Panay (http://books.google.com.ph/books?id=95VkAAAAMAAJ&printsec=frontcover&hl=en#v=onepage&q&f=false) (by Alonso de Méntrida, published in 1841)

Learning Resources

- Some information about learning Ilonggo (http://ciaran.compsoc.com/languages.html#ilonggo)
- Hiligaynon Lessons (http://www.archive.org/details/HiligaynonLessons) (by Cecile L. Motus. 1971)
- Hiligaynon Reference Grammar (http://www.archive.org/details/HiligaynonReferenceGrammar) (by Elmer Wolfenden 1971)

Writing System (Baybayin)

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Note: This page contains IPA phonetic symbols in Unicode.

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- The evolution of the native Hiligaynon alphabet (http://emanila.com/news/opinion/ggrivera_2001_04_10_opinion_tagalog.html)
- The evolution of the native Hiligaynon alphabet: Genocide (http://emanila.com/news/opinion/ggrivera_2001_04_24_genocide_tagalog.html)
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Primary Texts

- Online E-book of ***Ang panilit sa pagcasal ñga si D.ª Angela Dionicia: sa mercader ñga contragusto*** in Hiligaynon (http://quod.lib.umich.edu/cgi/t/text/pageviewer-idx?c=philamer&cc=philamer&idno=aql6284.0001.001&q1=hiligaynon&frm=frameset&view=image&seq=1&size=100), published in Mandurriao, Iloilo (perhaps, in the early 20th century)

Secondary Literature

- Language and Desire in Hiligaynon (http://www.sil.org/asia/philippines/ical/papers/Villareal-Hiligaynon_lang_desire.pdf) (by Corazón D. Villareal. 2006)
- Missionary Linguistics: selected papers from the First International Conference on Missionary Linguistics, Oslo, March 13–16th, 2003 (http://books.google.com.ph/books?id=ancRNeJEAukC&printsec=frontcover&hl=en#v=onepage&q&f=false) (ed. by Otto Zwartjes and Even Hovdhaugen

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